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**Mail Stop Amendment**  
 Group Art Unit: 3651

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For : **LOADING SYSTEM AND METHOD OF USE**

**Mail Stop Amendment**

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an **Election** in the above-captioned application.

☐ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.

☒ Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. 1.111.

☐ A Request for Extension of Time.

☒ No additional fee is required.

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT  
AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 14, 2005, Applicants elect Group I, claims 1-14 and 20, without traverse. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

A listing of claims is set forth on pages 2-4.

Remarks begin on page 5. •

If extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-0086.